

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Section 407 Proceeding

Docket No. IM2018-1

NOTICE OF POSTING OF PROPOSAL

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Pursuant to Order No. 4567, the proposal listed in Attachment A has been posted on the Commission's website in Docket No. IM2018-1.¹ Attachment B is a file of the proposal.

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Secretary

¹ Notice and Order Establishing Section 407 Proceeding, April 5, 2018, at 3 (Order No. 4567).

Proposal No.	Title of Proposal
Proposal 20.18.1	UPU Convention Article 18, Supplementary services

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Attachment B

File of Proposal

SECOND EXTRAORDINARY CONGRESS

Convention – Proposal

20.18.1

Article 18
Supplementary services

POSTAL OPERATIONS COUNCIL

Paragraphs 1 and 2. Amend as follows:

- 1 Member countries shall ensure the provision of the following mandatory supplementary services:
 - 1.1 registration service for outbound priority and airmail letter-post items;
 - 1.2 registration service for all inbound registered letter-post items;
 - 1.3 tracked delivery service for letter-post items.
- 2 Member countries or their designated operators may provide the following optional supplementary services in relations between those designated operators which agreed to provide the service:
 - 2.1 insurance for letter-post items and parcels;
 - 2.2 cash-on-delivery service for letter-post items and parcels;
 - ~~2.3 tracked delivery service for letter-post items;~~
 - 2.4 delivery to the addressee in person of registered or insured letter-post items;
 - 2.5 free of charges and fees delivery service for letter-post items and parcels;
 - 2.6 ~~fragile and~~ cumbersome parcels services;
 - 2.7 consignment service for collective items from one consignor sent abroad;
 - 2.8 merchandise return service, which involves the return of merchandise by the addressee to the original seller, with the latter's authorization.

Reasons. – See Congress–Doc 8, part I, § 19, table 4, recommendation 3.